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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20224

August 1, 2014

The Honorable Kenny Marchant
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Marchant:

I am responding to your letter dated June 24, 2014, which provides a copy of correspondence you submitted for the record during my June 20, 2014, appearance before the Committee on Ways and Means. Thank you for providing a copy of your constituent's letter. In addition, you asked that I contact the White House, Department of the Treasury and the Federal Elections Commission seeking email communications between Lois Lerner and these entities.

I understand that White House Counsel W. Neil Eggleston sent information about email communications between Ms. Lerner and the Executive Office of the President between January 1, 2009, and May 1, 2011, to Chairman Wyden, Senate Finance Committee and Chairman Camp, House Ways and Means Committee, in mid-June. In addition, I understand that the Department of the Treasury responded to a request from the Committee on Ways and Means about email communications between Ms. Lerner and the Department of Treasury between January 1, 2009, and May 1, 2011.

As you requested, we have asked the Federal Elections Commission (FEC) to search its email records between January 1, 2009, and May 1, 2011, to determine whether it possesses any communications between its employees and Ms. Lerner. I am enclosing a copy of my letter to FEC Chairman Lee E. Goodman.

I look forward to working with you to provide the information you need as quickly as possible. If you have any questions, please contact me, or a member of your staff can contact Leonard Oursler, Director, Legislative Affairs, at (202) 317-6985.

Sincerely,

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John A. Koskinen

Enclosure

cc: The Honorable Dave Camp, Chairman, Committee on Ways and Means
The Honorable Sander Levin, Ranking Member, Committee on Ways and Means
The Honorable J. Russell George, Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration



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The Honorable Lee E. Goodman
Chairman
Federal Elections Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Dear Chairman Goodman:

I am writing at the request of Congressman Kenny Marchant about email messages between a former IRS employee and employees at your agency. Congressman Marchant asked that I contact you for assistance in producing these emails.

I would appreciate if the Federal Elections Commission (FEC) could undertake a thorough, complete search of its email records to determine whether it possesses any communications to or from Ms. Lois Lerner and any of its employees between January 1, 2009, and May 1, 2011.

If the search yields any relevant emails, please send paper copies to Leonard Oursler, Director, Legislative Affairs, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20224, and to any congressional committee that may have sent you a similar request.

Thank you for considering this request and for providing all relevant email communications in your possession. If you have additional questions, please contact me, or a member of your staff may contact Leonard Oursler at (202) 317-6985.

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